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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Security

SUBJECT :

[REDACTED]

1. The Subject, who until recently was a Captain in the Air Force Reserve and who completed his tour of military duty in the recent past, is a candidate for employment with the CIA as a staff employee, GS-12.

2. The status of the clearance processing of [REDACTED] was checked with [REDACTED] of the Personnel Security Division, Office of Security, and [REDACTED] estimates that the investigation will be completed probably by the end of June 1963.

3. [REDACTED] is a specialist in electronic countermeasures and possesses skills that are extremely hard to come by. We are seriously concerned that, if we can not EOD this gentleman in the immediate future, we will lose his services to private industry.

4. In view of the above, it is requested that authority be granted to enable [REDACTED] to enter on duty with the CIA under a provisional clearance. It is proposed that pending the granting of his full security clearance, his services would be employed conducting research at the Army Materiel Command. In order to perform this research, he would require a clearance at the Secret level. In the event the Secret clearance could not be granted, this Office would still desire to have him enter on duty as soon as possible, and he would be given work of an unclassified nature outside the building.

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OSA/SS [REDACTED] apr (13 June 1963)

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